## RESOLUTION NO. 2013-70

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GEORGIA GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ADOPT LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING THE COLLECTION OF ADDITIONAL FEES ON ALL TRAFFIC AND COUNTY ORDINANCE CITATIONS ISSUED BY THE CLAYTON COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT TO SUPPORT UPDATED TECHNOLOGY IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE FINANCE DIRECTOR TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE, ALL AS MAY BE REQUIRED; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of Clayton County, Georgia and the County will best be served by supporting the passage of legislation to allow additional fees be placed on all traffic and county ordinance citations issued by the Clayton County Police Department. An additional fee in the amount of \$5.00 will be added to any fines, surcharges or other costs imposed by the Court or law, on all traffic citations and county ordinance citations issued by the Clayton County Police Department. The additional fees collected would be used to update technology of the Police Department.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Clayton County, Georgia supports the passage of such legislation as set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, in order to effectuate these purposes, it is necessary that the Clayton County, Georgia State Legislative Delegation have the Georgia General Assembly Office of Legislative Counsel prepare legislation as described herein below.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

<u>Section 1</u>. The Board of Commissioners hereby officially requests that the Clayton County Legislative Delegation to the Georgia General Assembly prepare and sponsor legislation

providing for the collection of a \$5.00 fee in addition to any fines, surcharges or other costs imposed by the Court or law, on all traffic citations and county ordinance citations issued by the Clayton County Police Department to be used to update technology in the Police Department.

Section 2. The Board of Commissioners hereby officially requests that the Clayton County Local Legislative Delegation take appropriate legislative steps to accomplish the goals set forth herein, and to enact the legislation during the current 2013 Legislative Session of the Georgia General Assembly.

Section 3. The Board of Commissioners authorizes the Chairman to execute any document necessary and otherwise to perform all necessary acts to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

Section 4. This Resolution shall be effective upon its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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